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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
TAJINDER MANKU : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION
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METHODOLOGY AND TOPOLOGY :
WHICH COMPENSATES FOR :
SPURIOUS RESPONSE :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Prior to a first examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.